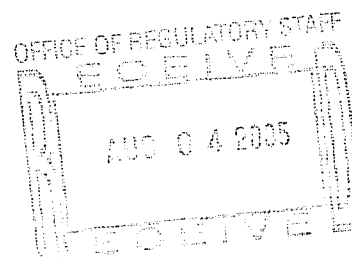


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Re: Petition of Dowd Water Systems, Inc. to Transfer the Water System in the Isle of Pines Subdivision, Lexington County, South Carolina to the Lexington County Public Works Department per Commission Orders 2003-66 and 2003-179

Dear Mr. Terreni,

Dowd Water Systems, Inc. ("Company") respectfully requests to transfer the water system serving the Isle of Pines Subdivision to the Lexington County Public Works Department. Under Commission Orders No. 2003-66 and 2003-179, Dowd Water Systems, Inc. was to keep the water system functional until an interconnection was facilitated with a municipal entity.

Lexington County has extended lines to service the Isle of Pines Subdivision and meters have been installed to provide service through the Town of Chapin for the 17 customers previously serviced by Dowd Water Systems, Inc. The Company is facilitating, under SC DHEC guidance, proper close out of the system in compliance with DHEC Regulations 61-71.10.

In addition, the Company respectfully requests this Commission waive any hearing requirement as it believes this request is in the public interest and an effort to comply with prior Commission Orders 2003-66 and 2003-179.

Your timely consideration of this petition is appreciated. I can be reached at 803/345-2285 with any questions in this matter.

Sincerely,

Sue Dowd
President
Dowd Water Systems, Inc.

Cc: Office of Regulatory Staff
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